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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Docket: UPMEYER=4

In re Application of:	)	Conf. No.: 4160
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Ulrich UPMEYER	)	Art Unit: 3652
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Appln. No.: 09/914,773	)	Examiner: T. BRAHAN
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Filed: September 4, 2001	)	Washington, D.C.
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For: SHELF STACKING MACHINE	)	June 6, 2005
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**PETITION TO REVIVE PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Petition  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney,  
hereby petition for revival of the above-identified application  
in accordance with the terms of 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). The  
above-identified application became abandoned for failure to  
respond to the Office Action of March 29, 2004.

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b), a petition to revive an  
unintentionally abandoned application must be accompanied by  
(1) a statement that the delay was unintentional, (2) a  
proposed response unless it has been previously filed, and (3)  
a fee in the amount of \$ 750.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R.  
§1.17(m).

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(1) Applicant, through undersigned counsel, hereby states that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date of the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) was unintentional.

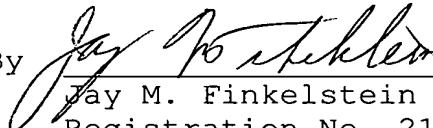
(2) Filed herewith is a proposed response to continue prosecution of the present application.

(3) The petition fee of \$750.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m), is attached hereto.

Granting of this petition and forwarding of the application to the examiner for further action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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